

## Postdoctoral Fellowship Opportunity in Health Services Research

The Center for Health Care Evaluation (CHCE) has postdoctoral fellowship positions for the 2005-2006 academic year. CHCE is an interdisciplinary research group (Dr. Rudolf Moos, Director Emeritus, Dr. John Finney, Director, Health Services Research and Development Center of Excellence, and Dr. Keith Humphreys, Director, Program Evaluation Resource Center) based at the VA Palo Alto Health Care System and Stanford University School of Medicine. Funding is provided by VA Office of Academic Affiliations and the Health Services Research and Development Service (HSR&D). The annual stipend is \$40,000 for the first year and \$43,000 for the second year.

Substance use disorders and psychiatric disorders (such as depression, PTSD, dual diagnosis), program evaluation, smoking cessation, stress and coping processes, decision support systems, and self-help/mutual aid organizations are among the many topics currently being researched at CHCE. Fellows will have the opportunity to collaborate on ongoing research projects as well as develop their own research interests in the above or related areas. Courses and seminars are also available to fellows through Stanford University. A Ph.D. in a field relevant to health services research and U.S. citizenship is required. Contact person: Ruth Cronkite, Ph.D., Center for Health Care Evaluation, VA Palo Alto HCS (152-MPD), 795 Willow Rd., Menlo Park, CA 94025. Phone: 650-493-5000 X22811. More information about the Center is also available at <http://www.chce.info/>